



## New Brunswick Equestrian Association 2017 Bronze General Performance Championship

Located at:  
Princess Louise Park  
10 Leonard Dr  
Sussex NB, E2V-3W3  
Tel. 506-461-1649

### **Show Dates - Rain or Shine!!!**

October 7-8, 2017: NBEA Bronze General Performance Championship

**Entries after Sept 29, 2017 WILL NOT be accepted**

Start Times:

October 7 – 0900 / October 8 - 0800



The class/division fees **will be waived** if the competitor has competed in a NBEA sanctioned Bronze competition during the 2017 show year:

- Geary Hill Stables Equestrian Challenge 1 & 2
- Foshay Hunter/Jumper 1 & 2
- Capital Zone 3 General Performance Horse Show
- Carmaz Hunter Jumper Show
- Bronze Sanctioned Eventing Derbies and Sanctioned Event
- Sunrise Summer Classic Horse Show (Morgan and Arabian Divisions)



### **WHY CHOOSE OUR SHOW:**

- Sanctioned Equestrian Canada Bronze Classes
- English Classes: Hunter, Jumper, Equitation and Hack
- Western Classes: Pleasure, Showmanship, Horsemanship, and Trail
- Plenty of parking.
- On site medic.
- Within 5 minutes of down town Sussex.
- Equestrian Canada certified judges, course designers and steward.
- Stabling
- Outdoor arena and sand warm-up arena
- Large variety of jumping equipment with FEI Approved Safety Cups
- Ribbons for 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> Place, Trophies, High Point prizes.
- Show forms available on NBEA website <http://www.nbea.ca/>
- Accommodations nearby.
- Camper hook-ups on site.
- Canteen on site.

## **"Fall for your Stall" Decorating Contest**

We are having a Stall Decorating Contest during the show. "Fall for your Stall" and decorate it in a way that represents the season of Fall to you! Bring your best ideas and use your imagination.

Prizes will be awarded for:

- Most creative
- Most original
- Judge's Favourite

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## 2017 HORSE SHOW COMMITTEE

Judges:	Donna McInnis	New Brunswick Western Judge
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The NBEA Bronze General Performance Championship is a sanctioned Bronze competition member of Equestrian Canada (EC), 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa, Ontario, K2K 1Y6 and is governed by the rules of EC. Every class offered herein is covered by the current rules and specifications of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book.

### **Equestrian Canada Statement of Principle**

Equestrian Canada (EC), the national equestrian federation of Canada, supports adherence to the humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction.

All Persons shall be committed to:

- upholding the welfare of all horses, regardless of value, as a primary consideration in all activities;
- requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect and compassion, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment;
- ensuring that all Equestrians including owners, trainers and competitors, or their respective agents, use responsible care in the handling, treatment and transportation of their own horses as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose;
- providing for the continuous well-being of horses by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort and safety as a matter of standard operating procedure;
- providing current information on Code of Practice for the Care and Handling of Equines and other equine health and welfare initiatives;
- continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- requiring owners, trainers and competitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions; and
- actively promoting the development of and adherence to competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horse.

The standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a person who is informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and competition procedures would determine to be neither cruel, abusive, nor inhumane.

**Every entry at an EC sanctioned competition shall** constitute an agreement by the person responsible (**see definition in entry form section**) that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver or rider and horse shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and any additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC Constitution and the applicable rules of EC and additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition. Do not participate in the EC sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition.

## SHOW RULES

### Administration:

1. All entry forms due no later than eight (8) days prior to the show as entries may need to be limited in some classes for safety and management purposes.
2. Late entries WILL NOT be accepted.
3. Entries:
  - a. drop off or mail show forms to: New Brunswick Equestrian Assn., 900 Hanwell Road, Unit 13, Fredericton NB E3B 6A2; OR
  - b. email scanned forms to: [melfin1972@gmail.com](mailto:melfin1972@gmail.com) (scanned copies of forms and vaccinations; pictures WILL NOT be accepted).
4. Payments:
  - a. make all cheques payable to "New Brunswick Equestrian Association" and must accompany signed entry form(s).
  - b. Email Money Transfer to [melfin1972@gmail.com](mailto:melfin1972@gmail.com) password: NBEAchamp
5. No post dated cheques accepted. NSF cheques will be charged \$50 administration fee.
6. No entries will be accepted by telephone or fax.
7. All entries must be complete and made in writing (Article A801.4). The show numbers will not be issued if all the required signatures are not complete and payment is not made in full.
8. Hunter and Jumper Classes are entered by division only.
9. Post entries will be accepted up to one hour prior to the class and will be subject to an additional \$5 charge per class or division.
10. Scratches will not be reimbursed.
11. Official protests must be made in writing to the secretary of the competition, signed and accompanied by a \$100.00 cash deposit within 48 hours of competition of the class, Equestrian Canada Article A1204.
12. Ribbons – 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> place, Trophies for 1<sup>st</sup>, High Point Prizes.
13. Equestrian Canada Rule A814: Competition numbers must be worn and visible at all times in show ring and in exercise areas.
14. Show Committee reserves the right to measure any pony or horse entered in the show.
15. Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of Equestrian Canada and will be held and judged in accordance with the Equestrian Canada Rule Book. Any incident requiring a ruling which cannot be referenced to the EC Rule Book, will be rendered by the Show Committee.
16. **If less than four entries are received for any class, the show committee reserves the right to cancel or combine classes where the rules are applicable. If each of the following classes, western pleasure, trail, horsemanship and showmanship DO NOT have at least FOUR entries entered by September 29, 2017 the Western portion of the Championship will be cancelled.**
17. Entry forms must be signed by exhibitor, owner and person responsible. If the owner or exhibitor is under 19 years of age, the entry must be signed by a parent or legal guardian who assumes all responsibility and risk as stated on the form and by these rules and regulations. The entry form for all sanctioned competitions shall also be signed by the person responsible for the care, training, custody and performance of the horse. The person responsible may be the trainer, owner, rider, agent or coach. The parent or guardian is entitled sign the entry form if there is no other person responsible. The person responsible is to be present at the competition and if they cannot attend, must appoint a representative who is present on the show grounds and must notify the competition secretary. Article A1011. With the exception of a parent or (Glossary page 98, Section A, see A213.2), the person responsible who signs an entry form must hold an EC or USEF individual license. (see A203.4).

18. Management has the right to expel any rider, owner or spectator deemed to be in their sole discretion disruptive to the show at any time.
19. Dogs must be leashed or caged while on the show grounds. The Owners are solely and expressly responsible for their dogs and the dog's behavior. Owners of loose dogs will be charged \$75.00 to retrieve their pets.
20. Absolutely "NO" smoking permitted on show grounds.
21. The show office will open one (1) hour prior to the start of the show and close 1/2 hour after the end of the show.
22. Bronze Sport licenses are required for all classes and can be purchased at [www.equestrian.ca](http://www.equestrian.ca)

### Services Offered

1. Stabling:
  - a. 8 x 8 box stall (40 available)..... \$21.00/night
  - b. 8 x 16 box stall (two 8 x 8 stalls turned into one) ..... \$42.00/night
  - c. Tack room (8 x 8 box stall) ..... same as above
  - d. Shavings ..... \$7.50/bag
2. Warm up area will be available on the show grounds. Warm up area is an enclosed sand ring. No lunging when riders are in the warm up ring. Lunging will be allowed in the area by the trailer hook-ups.

### Accommodations:

1. Hotel Accommodations are available at:
  - a. The Amsterdam Inn Sussex ..... 506-432-5050
  - b. Fairway Inn ..... 506-433-3470
  - c. Covered Bridge Inn ..... 506-433-1805
  - d. All Seasons ..... 506-433-2220
2. On site camper hookups:
  - a. 2 way hookup (electric and water) (40 available) ..... \$23.15/night
  - b. 3 way hookup (electric, water and sewage) (10 available) ..... \$35.00/night

### Entry Fees:

1. The following entry fees apply to all competitors:
  - a. Administration Fee ..... \$30.00
  - b. Drug Fee ..... \$3.50
2. The entry fees for individual classes/jumping divisions are:
  - a. Hunter (Intro, Beginner, Low) Divisions ..... \$80.00
  - b. Jumper Divisions ..... \$60.00
  - c. Individual Classes (not part of Hunter/Jumper divisions) ..... \$20.00
  - d. The class/division fees **will be waived** if the competitor has competed in a NBEA sanctioned Bronze competition during the 2017 show year. ....



### Exhibitor Requirements

1. Equestrian Canada Bronze Sport License and NBEA membership are required to compete in Bronze classes.

Equestrian Canada Bronze License is NOT required for exhibitors competing only in Lead Line.

2. Bronze memberships may be purchased online at [www.equestrian.ca](http://www.equestrian.ca) Your receipt will be proof of memberships. Temporary one-day memberships are no longer available.
3. Any horse, in any class at a competition, may, while on the competition grounds, be selected for equine medication control testing. (Article A602.5)
4. **Coggins test must be attached to entry form. Coggins tests with a stamped date within 2017 will be accepted.**
5. **Horses must show proof of current vaccinations for rabies, tetanus, flu and Strangles.**
6. Non-showing horses: All non-competing horses brought on the property during the competition must have a signed blank entry and owners and non-competing riders must have a current NBEA membership. Anyone riding non competing horses which have been brought on to the show grounds must wear a number issued by the office.
7. Amateur Owners must have current credentials (Article A902). A photocopy of the current amateur card must be attached with entry A802 e).
8. As per Equestrian Canada rule article A805, the Show Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry, except as provided in 805.2 (a, b, c, d, e).
9. The show will forfeit 75% of the entry fee less the fees for classes completed if the horse entered is withdrawn due to unsoundness or sickness provided a veterinarian's certificate is produced, dated no later than the closing day of the show and received within 10 days of the show date.
10. All riders, grooms, attendants and handlers must be neatly dressed on entering the ring.

## **SAFETY RULES**

1. **Protective Headgear**
  - a. **All competitors** must wear ASTM (American Society for Testing Materials), SEI, EN, AS/NZS or BSI approved helmets, with safety harness correctly fastened, at all times while mounted on the competition grounds.
  - b. Juniors showing any horse in a jog for soundness must wear approved protective headwear with the attached safety harness fastened.
  - c. EC makes no representation or warranty expressed or implied about any protective headgear and cautions riders that serious injury or death may result despite wearing such headgear as all equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risk and adds no protective helmet can protect against all foreseeable injuries.
  - d. All violations which occur outside the competition arena will be reported to the judge/jury who will levy the applicable penalty.
  - e. All violations which occur in the competition arena will be acted upon by the judge(s) who will levy the applicable penalty.
  - f. For all competitors, if the harness comes undone or the hat falls off, the rider must retrieve and/or do up the hat, with assistance if necessary, before the next obstacle is taken. There will be no penalty other than the loss of time. Failure to do up the harness or retrieve protective headgear immediately results in elimination.
2. The show committee does not accept responsibility for accidents or illness to horses, riders, grooms, spectators or any other persons.
3. Exhibitors competing for provincial points are requested to enter the animal in the name of the member of the family who is the official Equine Canada member.
4. **FALLS:** After being eliminated for a fall, the rider may not remount in the ring. Any rider who does remount in the ring after a fall will be eliminated from all classes in that ring for the remainder of the day. A rider who remounts after a fall and takes another obstacle will be disqualified from the remainder of the show.
5. **IN-GATE:** In all classes, trotting or cantering through the in-gate without prior permission is forbidden. The penalty for contravening this rule is either a fine or elimination from the class, at the discretion of the judge. Under special

circumstances, a steward or judge may give permission for a horse to trot into the ring, but not out of the ring.

6. **STALLIONS:** Stallions are permitted at this competition but only if shown by Senior competitors.
7. **HORS CONCOURS:** "Hors Concours" is not allowed at this competition
8. The use of Cell phones, IPODS, etc. is not allowed while riding.
9. Any horse that becomes out of control shall be eliminated from the competition at the discretion of the judge.
10. Schooling Rules for Hunter/Jumper: see Annex 1 page 106 Section G rule book.
11. Rules for this competition may be downloaded for free on Equestrian Canada's Website or ordered from the NBEA office. Read: Section F General Performance, Western, Equitation and refer to Section A for Equestrian Canada's General Regulations.
12. **Bronze competitors require NBEA membership.** Bronze Membership may be purchased from Equestrian Canada ([www.equestrian.ca](http://www.equestrian.ca)) – printed receipt will be accepted for proof of Equestrian Canada membership.
13. **Miscellaneous classes – not rated for EC awards.**



## **WESTERN**

### **WESTERN AGE DIVISIONS:**

- A Junior rider maintains junior status until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 19 (F502, Glossary Section A, page 96).
- Junior – under 13
- Junior – 14-18 yrs
- Pony – Open to Junior and Youth riders. Ponies may only enter classes in the pony division (**Miscellaneous**).
- Senior – over 19 years and over.

### **Entry Fee: \$20 per class**

Prize: Ribbons (1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>), trophy (1<sup>st</sup>)

### **WESTERN SHOWMANSHIP DIVISION**

Equestrian Canada rules Section F Article F1801-1803

- The showmanship class shall be judged strictly on the competitor's ability to fit and show a horse at halter. The horse is merely a prop to demonstrate the ability and preparation of the competitor.
  - The ideal showmanship performance consists of a poised, confident, neatly attired competitor, leading a well-groomed and conditioned horse that quickly and efficiently performs the requested pattern with promptness, smoothness, and precision.
  - The showmanship class is not a halter class and should not be judged as such.
  - Western Hats or helmets must be worn in non-mounted Western classes.
1. Pony Showmanship
  2. Junior U13 Showmanship
  3. Junior 14-18 Showmanship
  4. Senior Showmanship

### **WESTERN PLEASURE DIVISION**

Equestrian Canada rules Article F601-603, F701-F703

- This class will be judged on the performance, condition and conformation of the horse; however, a minimum of 20% of the judging shall be placed on condition and conformation.
  - Horses must work both ways of the ring at all three gaits to demonstrate their ability with different leads. At the option of the judge, horses may be asked to extend the walk, jog, or lope, one or both ways of the ring.
  - Horses are required to back easily and stand quietly.
  - Horses are to be reversed to the inside (away from the rail). They may be required to reverse at the walk or jog at the discrimination of the judge, but shall not be asked to reverse at the lope.
  - Competitors must wear appropriate western attire, including a shirt with long sleeves and a collar, approved helmet and cowboy boots.
  - All riders must wear approved protective headgear for competition and during warm-up prior to competition. Approved protective headgear must be worn at all times when schooling horses at the event location.
  - Spurs and chaps are optional.
5. Pony Western Pleasure
  6. Junior U13 Western Pleasure
  7. Junior 14-18 Western Pleasure
  8. Senior Western Pleasure

## **WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP DIVISION**

Equestrian Canada rules Article F2101-F2102, F501, F503

- Riders will be judged on seat, hands, and ability to control and show horse.
  - Results as shown by performance of the horse are NOT to be considered more important than the method used by the rider.
  - The competitor's overall poise, confidence, appearance and position throughout the class as well as the physical condition of the horse will be evaluated
  - Competitors must wear appropriate western attire, including a shirt with long sleeves and a collar, approved helmet and cowboy boots.
  - All riders must wear approved protective headgear for competition and during warm-up prior to competition. Approved protective headgear must be worn at all times when schooling horses at the event location.
  - Spurs and chaps are optional.
9. Pony Western Horsemanship
  10. Junior U13 Horsemanship
  11. Junior 14-18 Western Horsemanship
  12. Senior Western Horsemanship

## **WESTERN TRAIL DIVISION**

Equestrian Canada rules Article F801-F803, F601-F603

- The Trail Horse Class is the performance of a safe, sensible, well-mannered horse over a course of obstacles.
  - This class will be judged on the performance of the horse over the obstacles, with emphasis on manners, response to the rider and quality of movement
  - Credit will be given to those horses negotiating the obstacles with style and some degree of speed, providing correctness is not sacrificed.
13. Pony Trail
  14. Junior U13 Trail
  15. Junior 14-18 Trail
  16. Senior Trail

## **WESTERN WALK-JOG DIVISION - (Miscellaneous – not rated for EC awards)**

### **Walk/Jog – 12 yrs. and under**

Riders who enter the Walk/Jog Under 12 division may not cross enter, at the same competition, into classes which require the rider to canter or ride over fences.

17. Walk-Jog Horsemanship. The class will proceed at least once around the ring at each gait – walk and Jog and on command, reverse and repeat. Riders will then line up on command. The judge may ask questions about tack or horsemanship that would be suitable to the ability and age of the riders in the class.  
  
An individual test may be requested prior to the group class routine on the flat. This pattern may include a simple figure of eight pattern or similar simple pattern provided by the judge and posted at least one hour prior to the class. Riders who do not perform the individual test will not be eliminated and may proceed to the class routine on the flat.
18. Walk-Jog Western Pleasure: Open to horses or ponies.
  - a. To be shown at a flat-footed walk and normal jog
  - b. To be judged on 45% performance, 40% manners and 15% conformation

## **BARREL RACE**

Equestrian Canada rules Articles F1201 – F1206

- 19. Pony Barrel Race
- 20. Junior U13 Barrel Race
- 21. Junior 14-18 Barrel Race
- 22. Senior Barrel Race

## **WESTERN COMMAND**

Command Class This class is an elimination one that may look like a pleasure class, many horsemanship commands may be asked for during the class such as: stop, backing up, counter canter, posting trot on proper diagonal, etc. The Judge eliminates those not following commands or taking too much time to obey commands. The Judge calls the faulty exhibitors to the middle of the ring to line up.

- 23. Pony Command
- 24. Open Command

Champion and Reserve Champion awards will be handed out at the end of each Hunter Division for the  
NBEA 2017 Bronze General Performance Championship Show.

**HUNTER DIVISION**

**Entry Fee: \$80 for division (2 over fences and 1 under saddle)**

Prize: Ribbons (1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>), trophy (1<sup>st</sup>)

Horses entering Bronze Hunter Divisions may only enter 2 of 3 divisions (i.e., Intro and Pre- Beginner Hunter OR Pre Beginner and Beginner or Beginner and Heritage Low Hunter) (F1301-F1310)

Horses must compete and complete the course in at least one over fences class in their respective division to compete in the under saddle classes.

**INTRO HUNTER**

- 25. Intro Hunter #1 – (Over fences: A simple hunter course of at least 8 fences with no combinations. Emphasis of judging jumping style, manners and ay of going (F1302.1). Trotting to fences will not be penalized. Distances not to be adjusted for horses and ponies. Maximum height and width to be 22" (0.55m). Fences may be low verticals or oxers. Majority of fence to be 18" (0.45m). Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies of any height.
- 26. Intro Hunter #2
- 45. Intro Hunter Under Saddle – (To be shown at walk, trot and canter, both ways of the ring. No more than eight to hand-gallop at one time. To be eligible horses/ponies must have completed the course in at least one fences class in their respective miscellaneous division.)
- 46. Intro Hunter Stake

Entries in this division are limited to the Intro and Pre Beginner Hunter Divisions. A pony ridden by an adult must not be shown by a junior in the same competition.

**Pre- BEGINNER HUNTER**

- 27. Pre- Beginner Hunter #1 – (To complete a hunter-type jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'3" (0.70m) in height. To be judged Emphasis of judging jumping style, manners and ay of going (F1302.1). Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies. The course may, but is not required, to be adjusted in height and distance for ponies.) Juniors of any age may show any height of pony in miscellaneous, non-point classes.
- 28. Pre- Beginner Hunter #2
- 47. Pre-Beginner Hunter Under Saddle (miscellaneous)
- 48. Pre-Beginner Stake

**BEGINNER HUNTER**

- 29. Beginner Hunter #1 – (To complete a hunter-type jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'6" (0.75m) in height. To be judged Emphasis of judging jumping style, manners and ay of going (F1302.1).. Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies. The course may, but is not required, to be adjusted in height and distance for ponies.) Juniors of any age may show any height of pony in miscellaneous, non-point classes.
- 30. Beginner Hunter #2
- 49. Beginner Hunter Under Saddle (miscellaneous)
- 50. Beginner Stake

Entries in this division are limited to the Beginner Hunter and Heritage Low Hunter Divisions.

**HERITAGE LOW HUNTER**

- 31. Heritage Low Hunter # 1: 0.85m 2'9" **Open only to horses** ridden by a Junior or Senior rider. Horses judged Emphasis of judging jumping style, manners and ay of going (F1302.1).
- 32. Heritage Low Hunter #2
- 51. Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle (miscellaneous)
- 52. Heritage Low Hunter Stake

Champion and Reserve Champion awards will be handed out at the end of Jumper Division for the NBEA  
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### **JUMPER DIVISION**

**Entry Fee: \$60 for division (2 over fences)**

Prize: Ribbons (1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>), trophy (1<sup>st</sup>)

Equestrian Canada rules Section F, Article 1501-1515

Horses are to be judged only on performance. Courses will be posted at least 30 minutes prior to the class starting.

Time allowed must be used in all classes in the Jumper Division

There will be one jump off (if needed) against the clock

**2'3" (0.70) JUMPER DIVISION**

- 33. 2'3" (0.70m) Jumper Speed
- 34. 2'3" (0.70m) Jumper Welcome
- 35. 2'3" (0.70m) Power and Speed

Entries in this division are limited to the Jumper 2'3" (0.70m) and 2'6" (0.75m) Divisions

**2'6" (0.75m) JUMPER DIVISION**

- 36. 2'6" (0.75m) Jumper Speed
- 37. 2'6" (0.75m) Jumper Welcome
- 38. 2'6" (0.75m) Power and Speed

Entries in this division are limited to the Jumper 2'6" (0.75m) and 2'9" (0.85m) Divisions

**2'9" (0.85m) JUMPER DIVISION**

- 39. 2'9" (0.85m) Jumper Speed
- 40. 2'9" (0.85m) Jumper Welcome
- 41. 2'9" (0.85m) Power and Speed

Entries in this division are limited to the Jumper 2'9" (0.85m) and 3' (0.90m) Divisions

**3' (0.90m) JUMPER DIVISION**

- 42. 3'0" (0.90m) Jumper Speed
- 43. 3'0" (0.90m) Jumper Welcome
- 44. 3'0" (0.90m) Power and Speed

## ENGLISH

### EQUITATION DIVISION

#### Entry Fee: \$20 per class

Prize: Ribbons (1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>), trophy (1<sup>st</sup>)

Equestrian Canada rule section F1901-1906, F2001-2006

Equitation classes are divided by age groups as follows: Individuals are juniors until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18. Article A901.

Routine on the flat: Article F2005. Riders will proceed at least once around the ring at each gait – walk, trot, sitting trot and canter on command.

At the judge's discretion, they may be asked to execute an individual test.

53. Jr. "A" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada: Riders are such from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18.
54. Jr. "B" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada: Riders are such from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 13 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 15.
55. Jr. "C" Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada: Riders are such until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 12.
56. Senior Hunter Seat (not to jump) Equestrian Canada: Riders will be classified as Senior from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 19.

### ENGLISH HACK DIVISION

Equestrian Canada Rules Section F1701-1709

English Pleasure (E.C.) Article F1711

- To be shown at a flat-footed walk, normal trot and easy canter; not to gallop; light contact to be maintained.
- To be judged on 45% performance, 40% manners and 15% conformation.

Road Hack (E.C.) Article F1707

- Horses to enter ring at a walk.
- To be shown at a flat-footed walk with a reasonably loose rein, trot, strong trot, easy canter and hand gallop. Only 8 horses to hand gallop at one time.
- To be judged on 55% performance, 20% substance, 15% conformation and 10% manners.

57. Pony English Pleasure
58. Junior English Pleasure
59. Senior English Pleasure
60. Pony Road Hack
61. Junior Road Hack
62. Senior Road Hack

## **ENGLISH WALK-TROT DIVISION (Miscellaneous – not rated for EC awards)**

### **Walk/Trot – 12 yrs. and under**

Riders who enter the Walk/Trot Under 12 division may not cross enter, at the same competition, into classes which require the rider to canter or ride over fences.

- 63. Walk/Trot English Pleasure: Open to horses or ponies.
  - a. To be shown at a flat-footed walk and normal trot
  - b. To be judged on 45% performance, 40% manners and 15% conformation
- 64. Walk/Trot Equitation: The class will proceed at least once around the ring at each gait – walk and trot and on command, reverse and repeat. Riders will then line up on command. The judge may ask questions about tack or horsemanship that would be suitable to the ability and age of the riders in the class.

An individual test may be requested prior to the group class routine on the flat. This pattern may include a simple figure of eight pattern or similar simple pattern provided by the judge and posted at least one hour prior to the class. Riders who do not perform the individual test will not be eliminated and may proceed to the class routine on the flat.

## **NBEA General Performance Championship Show**

High Point Championships will be awarded for the following disciplines/age groups-divisions:

### **English**

- Intro Hunter
  - Pre-Beginner Hunter
  - Beginner Hunter
  - Heritage Low Hunter
  - Jumper 2'3' (.70m)
  - Jumper 2'6" (0.75m)
  - Jumper 2'9" (0.85m)
  - Jumper 3' (0.90m)
  - Pony \*
  - Junior/Junior A&B \*
  - Senior \*
  - Walk-Trot
- \*Combined points from Hunter Seat Equitation, English Pleasure, and Road Hack classes

### **Western**

- Pony \*
  - Junior U13\*
  - Junior 14-18 \*
  - Senior \*
  - Walk-Trot
- \*Combined points from Pleasure, Horsemanship, and Trail classes

## **NBEA Bronze Hunter/Jumper Year End Awards**

OVERALL **YEAR END** NBEA BRONZE AWARDS WILL BE PRESENTED FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF EACH DIVISION. POINTS HAVE BEEN TRACKED FOR THE FOLLOWING SHOWS:

- Geary Hill Stables Equestrian Challenge 1 & 2
- Foshay Shows 1 & 2
- Capital Zone 3 General Performance Horse Show
- Carmaz Stables Horse Show

Ribbons won at this Bronze GP Show will be added to the points that have been tabulated all summer long and the year end Champion and Reserve Champions will be awarded.



## **TIES**

### **Intro/Beginner/Low Hunter Divisions**

In the case of a tie the championship and/or reserve shall be awarded to the horse that has accumulated the most points over fences. If there is still a tie, the tied horses shall be shown at walk, trot and canter to determine champion and reserve. Tossing a coin to break the tie is permissible if all participants agree.

In the event that all tied horses are declared unsound, selection of the winner amongst such tied horses shall be left to the discretion of the judge(s).

### **Jumper Divisions**

In the case of a tie, Competitors may elect for a Jump off. Tossing a coin to break the tie is permissible if all participants agree.

### **Miscellaneous Divisions**

Ties for the High Point Championship will be awarded based on placing in the English Pleasure or Western Pleasure classes.

Scoring for High Point Awards:

1<sup>st</sup> – 7 points

2<sup>nd</sup> – 5 points

3<sup>rd</sup> – 4 points

4<sup>th</sup> – 3 points

5<sup>th</sup> – 2 points

6<sup>th</sup> – 1 point

## CLASS LIST

<b>WESTERN</b>	<b>ENGLISH CONTINUED</b>
1. Pony Showmanship	33. 2'3" (0.7m) Jumper Speed
2. Junior U13 Showmanship	34. 2'3" (0.7m) Jumper Welcome
3. Junior 14-18 Showmanship	35. 2'3" (0.7m) Power and Speed
4. Senior Showmanship	36. 2'6" (0.75m) Jumper Speed
5. Pony Western Pleasure	37. 2'6" (0.75m) Jumper Welcome
6. Junior U13 Western Pleasure	38. 2'6" (0.75m) Power and Speed
7. Junior 14-18 Western Pleasure	39. 2'9" (0.85m) Jumper Speed
8. Senior Western Pleasure	40. 2'9" (0.85m) Jumper Welcome
9. Pony Western Horsemanship	41. 2'9" (0.85m) Power and Speed
10. Junior U13 Horsemanship	42. 3'0" (0.90m) Jumper Speed
11. Junior 14-18 Western Horsemanship	43. 3'0" (0.90m) Jumper Welcome
12. Senior Western Horsemanship	44. 3'0" (0.90m) Power and Speed
13. Pony Trail	45. Intro Hunter Under Saddle
14. Junior U13 Trail	46. Intro Hunter Stake
15. Junior 14-18 Trail	47. Pre-beginner Under Saddle
16. Senior Trail	48. Pre-beginner Stake
17. Walk-Trot Horsemanship	49. Beginner Hunter Under Saddle
18. Walk-Trot Western Pleasure	50. Beginner Stake
19. Pony Barrel Race	51. Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle
20. Junior U13 Barrel Race	52. Heritage Low Hunter Stake
21. Junior 14-18 Barrel Race	53. Jr. "A" Hunter Seat Equitation
22. Senior Barrel Race	54. Jr. "B" Hunter Seat Equitation
23. Pony Command	55. Jr. "C" Hunter Seat Equitation
24. Open Command	56. Senior Hunter Seat Equitation
<b>ENGLISH</b>	57. Pony English Pleasure
25. Intro Hunter #1	58. Junior English Pleasure
26. Intro Hunter #2	59. Senior English Pleasure
27. Pre-beginner Hunter #1	60. Pony Road Hack
28. Pre-beginner Hunter #2	61. Junior Road Hack
29. Beginner Hunter #1	62. Senior Road Hack
30. Beginner Hunter #2	63. Walk-Trot Equitation
31. Heritage Low Hunter #1	64. Walk-Trot Pleasure
32. Heritage Low Hunter #2	

## TENTATIVE SHOW SCHEDULE

Please note: this schedule is TENTATIVE. A final schedule will be emailed to all competitors and posted on our Facebook page 48 hours before the show date.

### Friday, Saturday, Sunday

	Arenas will be CLOSED ½ before classes for harrowing and jump set-up	
2200	Arenas are CLOSED for the night.	

### Friday, October 6, 2017

1500	Barns/stalls open for moving in // Rings are open for use	
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### Saturday, October 7, 2017

Time	Class Name	Class #
0900-1200 (Inside)	Western Classes (if there are enough entries)	1-24
0900 (Outside)	<b>Hunters</b>	
	Intro Hunter Over Fences 1 and 2	25, 26
	Pre-beginner Hunter Over Fences 1 and 2	27, 28
	Beginner Hunter Over Fences 1 and 2	29, 30
	Low Hunter Over Fences 1 and 2	31, 32
1200 (Outside)	<b>Jumpers</b>	
	2'3" Jumper Welcome and Speed	33, 34
	2'6" Jumper Welcome and Speed	35, 36
	2'9" Jumper Welcome and Speed	37, 38
	3'0" Jumper Welcome and Speed	39, 40
1500 (Outside)	<b>Atlantic Canada Equestrian Championships (Jumpers)</b>	
	1.0 Jumper Welcome	
	1.10 Jumper Welcome	
1800-2100	Social	

# TENTATIVE SHOW SCHEDULE

**Sunday, October 7, 2017**

0800 (Inside)	<b>Equitation</b>	
	A, B, C and Senior	53-56
	Walk/Trot Division	63, 64
	Pony Pleasure	57
	Junior Pleasure	58
	Senior Pleasure	59
	Pony Road Hack	60
	Junior Road Hack	61
	Senior Road Hack	62
	Intro Hunter Under Saddle	45
	Pre-beginner Under Saddle	47
	Beginner Under Saddle	49
	Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle	51
0930 (Outside)	<b>Atlantic Canada Equestrian Championships</b>	
	1.0 Jumper Speed	
	1.10 Jumper Speed	
	2'3" Power and Speed	35
	2'6" Power and Speed	38
	2'9" Power and Speed	41
	3'0" Power and Speed	44
	<b>Atlantic Canada Equestrian Championships (Jumpers)</b>	
	1.0 Grand Prix	
	1.10 Grand Prix	
	<b>Hunters</b>	
	Intro Hunter Stake	46
	Pre-beginner Stake	48
	Beginner Stake	50
	Heritage Low Hunter Stake	52

Entry  
Form

2017 NBEA Bronze General Performance Championship  
October 7-8, 2017 – Entries due Sept 29, 2017

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ NBEA #: \_\_\_\_\_

EC #: \_\_\_\_\_

Age & D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse ☐ Pony ☐ Gender: 

Gelding	Mare	Stallion
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Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner NBEA# \_\_\_\_\_

Owner EC# \_\_\_\_\_

Stall

Yes

No

Tack Room

Yes

No

Shavings

Yes

No

Camper Hookup

Yes

No

Class #	Class Name	Exhibitor	Horse's Name	Class Fee

<b>Please include with this entry form:</b>		<b># of Classes</b>		x	<b>\$ 20.00</b>	
1. Photocopy of NBEA & EC memberships	Jumper Divisions			x	<b>\$ 60.00</b>	
2. Liability waiver signed (pg 23)	Hunter Divisions			x	<b>\$ 80.00</b>	
3. PR form signed (riders under 18) (pg 24)	Stall Fee per night:	8 x 8		x	<b>\$ 21.00</b>	
4. Payment in full		8 x 16		x	<b>\$ 42.00</b>	
5. Proof of Vaccinations	Tack room	8 x 8			<b>\$ 21.00</b>	
6. Proof of Coggins	# of bags of shavings			x	<b>\$ 7.50</b>	

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**IF ANY OF THE ABOVE ITEMS  
ARE NOT INCLUDED  
YOUR ENTRY WILL BE REFUSED**

Camper hookup per night:

2 way hookup x **\$ 23.15**3 way hookup x **\$ 35.00**

Mail/Drop items to:

New Brunswick Equestrian Association  
900 Hanwell Road, Unit 13,  
Fredericton NB E3B 6A2

Email scanned items to:

[melfin1972@gmail.com](mailto:melfin1972@gmail.com)Drug Fee **\$ 3.50**Administration Fee **\$ 30.00****TOTAL****PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM****Cheques payable to:** New Brunswick Equestrian Association**Email Money Transfer to:** [melfin1972@gmail.com](mailto:melfin1972@gmail.com) password: NBEAchamp

I hereby certify that every horse, rider, and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and Rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept the risk and hold harmless EC, NBEA, the New Brunswick Equestrian Association 2017 Bronze General Performance Championship, their officials, organizers, agents, volunteers, employees and their representatives. The person responsible agrees to the release of any information on the entry to EC.

Rider's Signature:  
(over 18 yrs of age)

Riders Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Rider's  
EC Sports Lic #**

Person Responsible  
signature:

Person Responsible  
Name:(print) \_\_\_\_\_

## LIABILITY WAIVER FOR New Brunswick Equestrian Association

### 2017 Bronze General Performance Championship

I hereby certify that every horse, rider and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and Rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition.

Every entry at a recognized competition shall constitute an agreement and affirmation that all participants (which include, without limitations, the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver, handler and the horse), for themselves, their principals, representatives, employees and agents: (1) shall be subject and bound by the rules of Equestrian Canada and the local rules of the competition; (2) represent that every horse, rider, driver and handler is eligible as entered; (3) agree that they participate voluntarily in the competition fully aware that horse sports and the competition involve inherent dangerous risk of serious injury or death, and accept that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury, and by participation they expressly assume any and all risks of injury or loss to both horse or rider.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, I hereby assume all risk and I hereby release and absolve the Organizing Committee of the New Brunswick Equestrian Association Bronze General Performance Championship, National, Provincial and Discipline Affiliates, Equestrian Canada, the New Brunswick Equestrian Association and their Officials, Volunteers, Directors, Agents, Representatives and Employees and the Owners and Occupiers of the land upon which the competition is held from all responsibility, liability or claims of any nature and kind which I may have arising from the participation in this activity, including the negligence of one or more of the individuals and organizations referred to herein.

I hereby declare that in making this entry that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein and that it is binding upon my executors, heirs and assigns. Parent/guardian must complete the form for riders under the age of 18 yrs.

Name of Rider (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Rider: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Owner (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and myself.

Parent/Guardian (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I/we hereby confirm that there is liability coverage in force with respect to the ownership of the competing horse(s).

Yes ☐ No ☐ Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Provincial Equestrian Body Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**"In the event that \_\_\_\_\_ participates in an Equestrian Canada sanctioned competition where approved headgear is required for juniors, he/she will wear a properly fitted, ASTM or BSI approved helmet. It is understood that juniors not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete at these competitions." See Rules of Equestrian Canada, section A General Regulations, Article A905, Headgear.**

Parent/Guardian Signature (A1011): \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**If the rider is under 18 years of age, the parent or guardian must complete the areas requiring name, date and signature.  
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

**Person Responsible:**

The Person Responsible (PR) for a horse must be an adult who has, or shares responsibility for the care, training, custody, and performance of the horse and who has official responsibility for that horse under EC Rules. The PR is liable under the penalty provisions of the applicable EC Rules for any rule violations. Every entry form for an EC sanctioned competition must identify the PR and be signed by the PR. The Person Responsible is ultimately responsible for the condition, fitness and management of the horse and is alone responsible for any act performed by himself/herself or by any other person with authorized access to the horse in the stables, elsewhere on the grounds, or while the horse is being ridden, driven or exercised.

A: For adult entries into EC sanctioned competitions the PR shall be either the trainer, the owner of the horse or the competitor who rides or drives the horse during the EC sanctioned competition.

B: For Junior entries into EC sanctioned competitions the Junior competitor cannot be the PR. For Junior entries the PR may be either the trainer, the owner of the horse, or a parent/guardian of the Junior competitor.

Person Responsible (PR) must sign the competition entry form. PR must be an EC Sport License holder in good standing OR in the case of junior – minor owner, **a parent/guardian is entitled to sign as PR. Effective immediately, parents acting as PR for their child's horse at an EC competition will no longer be required to purchase a Registered Participant license.**

**Parents and Guardians are entitled to sign their children's entry forms without being EC members or holder of a Sport License, provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties contained in the Rule Book. However, the owner of the horse must hold a valid EC Sport License and the owner's EC Sport License number must be included on all entry forms.**

**NOTE: Person Responsible who are prevented from performing their duties by reason of illness or other cause, or who must be absent from any competition where horses under their care are entered and stabled shall immediately notify the competition secretary and at the same time, appoint a substitute. Such substitute Person Responsible shall place his or her name on the entry form forthwith and thereby shall assume full responsibility for the performance of the duties. The Person Responsible and the owner acknowledge that the Person Responsible represents the owner with respect to the horses entered in the competition in matters relating to entries, scratches for any reason, equine medication control and any act performed on any horse under the care and custody of the Person Responsible. For complete reference see Article A 1011 1 c) and 2.**

I hereby certify that every horse, rider, and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself, and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and Rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept the risk and hold harmless Geary Hill Stables, EC, NBEA, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, volunteers, employees and their representatives. The person responsible (PR) agrees to the release of any information on the entry form to EC.

Rider's Signature: (over 18 yrs of age)	_____	Riders Name (print):	_____	Date:	_____
<b>Rider's EC Sports Lic #</b>	_____				
Person Responsible signature:	_____	Person Responsible Name:(print)	_____		
<b>Person Responsible EC Sports Lic #</b>	_____				

If rider is under 18 years, the Parent/Guardian must also sign:

I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and myself.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_